

# Heavy Flavor MDC1

## **Status and Plans**

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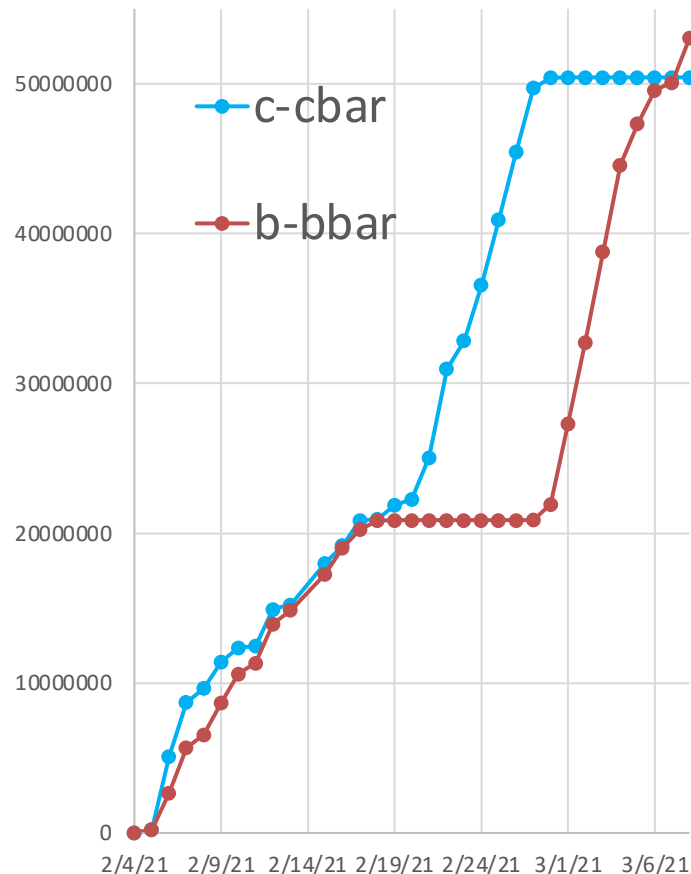
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HF TG Meeting

# Production Status and Info

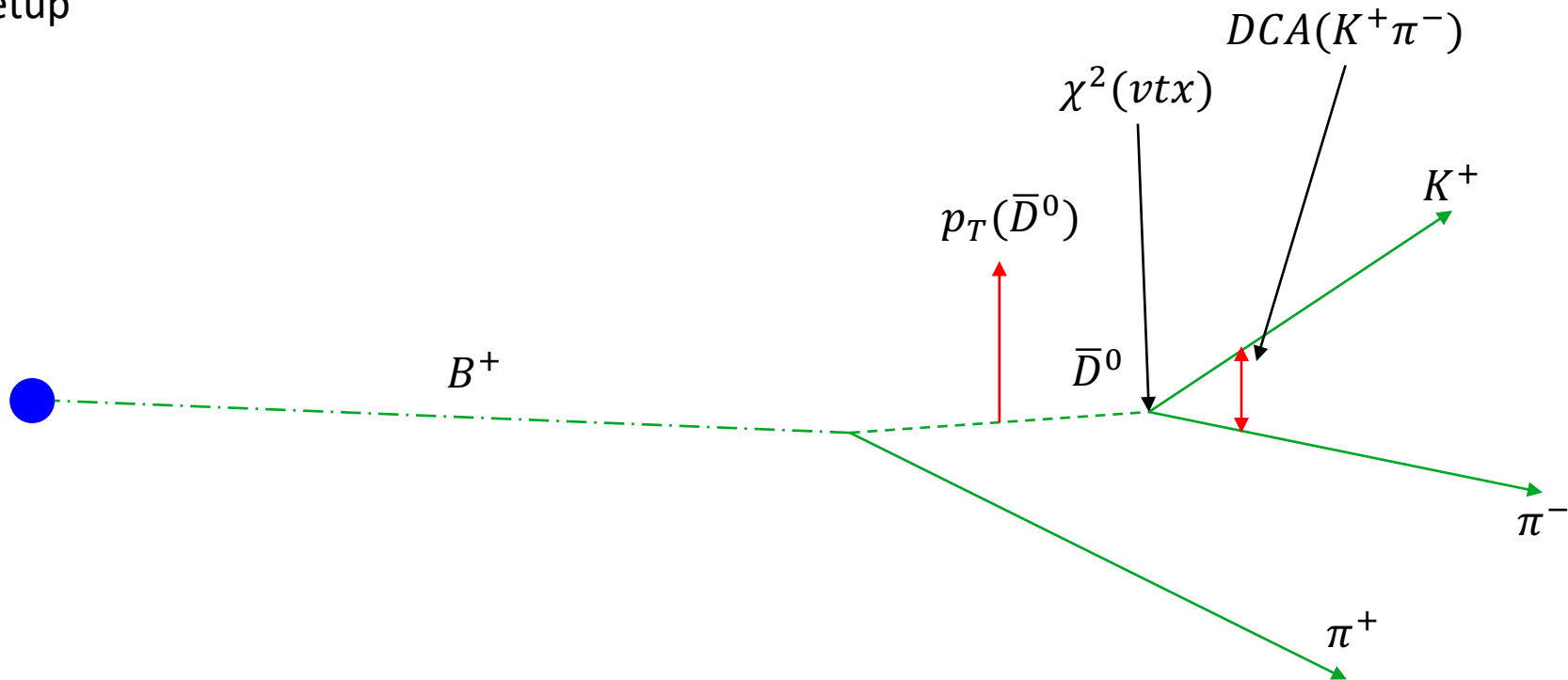
- MDC info has been migrated [here](#) for legacy purposes
- [KFParticle has a new twiki](#) with info on how to setup, what options are available and what the output branches mean
- We passed 100M total events on Saturday (we got 3M extra b-bbar)
- [KFParticle had a new release on Thursday](#), associated [update to examples](#) was merged on the same day

Production Information	Value (as of 2021/03/08 09:54 ET)
No. c-cbar files in bookkeeping	46999
No. c-cbar events in bookkeeping	50428859
No. b-bbar files in bookkeeping	48985
No. b-bbar events in bookkeeping	53066479



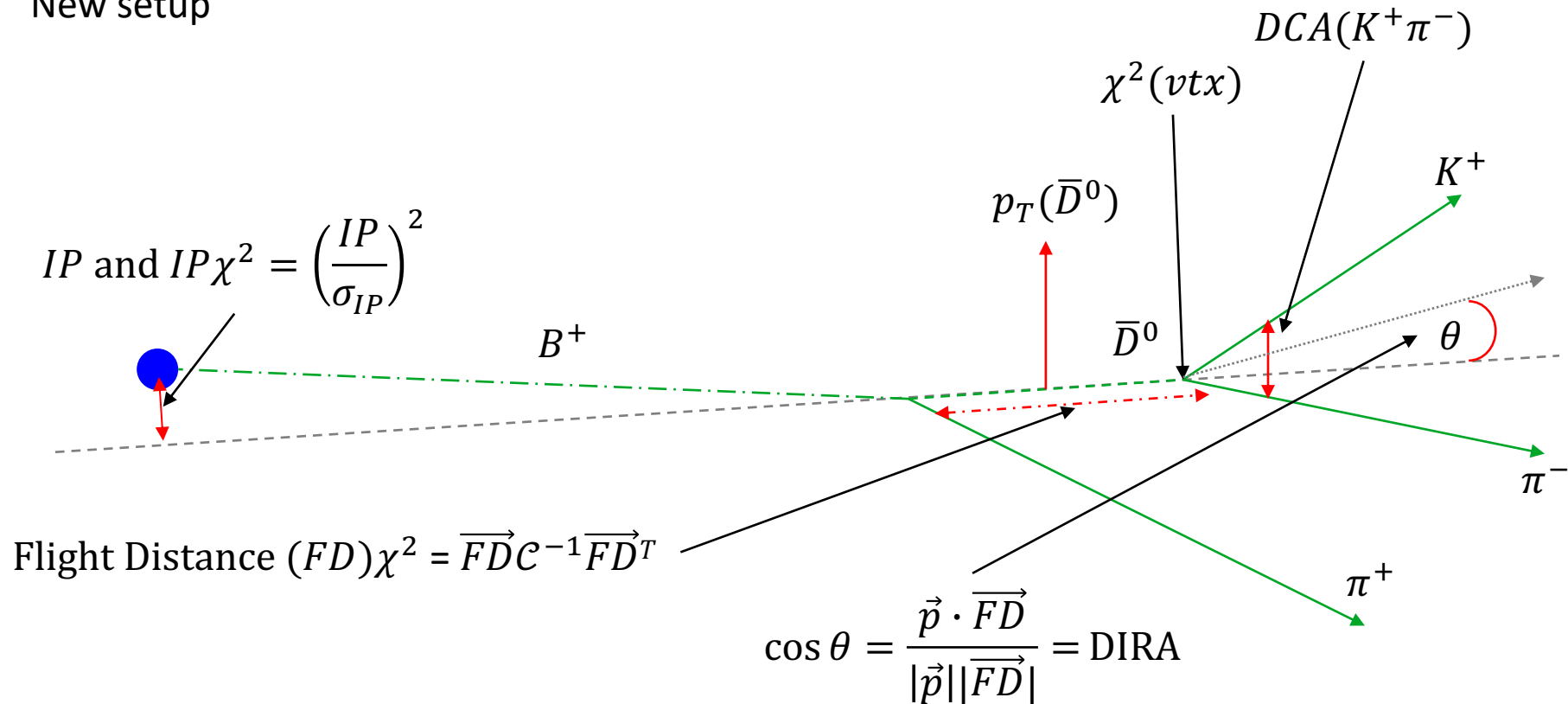
# Adding more resonance options

Old setup



# Adding more resonance options SPHENIX

New setup



# Final comments

- This Friday (03/12/2021) we will have a practice session for the Software and Computing review
- MDC will be highlighted as an achievement of the collaboration
- Plots are requested from each TG
- My personal opinion on plots are:
  - **Invariant mass and possible prompt/non-prompt separation from:**
    1.  $D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+$
    2.  $D^+ \rightarrow K^- \pi^+ \pi^+$
    3.  $\Lambda_c^+ \rightarrow p K^- \pi^+$
    4.  $D^{*+} \rightarrow (D^0 \rightarrow K^- \pi^+) \pi^+$
- Chris has requested a note on our simulations needs
  - **This covers 2021 – 2025**
  - **This is to be discussed tomorrow at 1pm ET**

# Backup

# Issues from last meeting

1. We had too many vertices in our vertex map
  - Pythia generated many truth vertices which were passed down our nodes
  - Joe implemented a fix where we can recalculate the PV from the track map
  - [Latest version of examples has code to run this](#)
2. Truth matching caused a crash for some events
  - We had a null pointer returned by ghost tracks
  - Package was updated to return a value of 0 for true ghost tracks. Use `track_x_true_ID` to find ghost tracks (their true ID is 0)
3. Track ID and mass bug
  - Only affected reconstructions with a mix of resonances and reconstructed tracks
  - Only affected those reconstructions if resonance mass was NOT constrained
  - Lone tracks had no mass or PID
  - Latest release fixes this

1. Tracks had no  $\chi^2$  or nDoF measurements in nTuple
  - This was calculated properly during selection but the variables weren't passed as the objects were copied
  - Latest version of package fixes this
2. Some tracks could be written to nTuple out of order
  - The reordering of tracks when being written out got confused. We could occasionally mix pions and kaons, for example
  - Latest version fixes this and also keeps tracks that are associated to resonances together
  - Tracks from resonances are now named with their mother
3. Zombie nTuples could be created if no events were found in your selection
  - The creation of the nTuple has been moved from Init() to process\_event() and only when the first candidate has been found